

Ornithological Articles in Other Journals.¹

Riley, J. H. Note on *Chlorostilbon puruensis* Riley. (Proc. Biol. Soc. Wash., XXVIII, p. 183, November 29, 1915.) — This recently described species proves to be a *Chlorestes* close to *C. caruleus* of which it may be regarded as a subspecies.

DeWar, J. M. The Relation of the Oystercatcher to its Natural Environment. (The Zoologist, August–November, 1915.)

Bell, Alfred. Pleistocene and Later Bird Fauna of Great Britain and Ireland. (The Zoologist, November, 1915.)

Clarke, Wm. Eagle. The Wren of St. Kilda: Its Status, Plumages, and Habits. (The Scottish Naturalist, October, 1915.) — A good account of *Troglodytes troglodytes hirtensis* (Seeböhm).

Clarke, John M. Protection of the Sea Fowl of the Gulf of St. Lawrence (Report Sixth Ann. Meeting Comm. of Conservation of Canada.) — An able plea for the protection of the colonies at Percé Rocks and Bonaventure Island. The same volume contains articles on the same subject by C. Gordon Hewitt and P. A. Taverner. All illustrated by excellent photographs of Cormorants, Gannets, etc. The government is urged to establish these rookeries as well as Pt. Pelee as bird refuges.

Kerr, J. Graham. Notes on the Habits of the Rhea. (Proc. Royal Phys. Soc., 1915, pp. 200–203.) — In Paraguay.

Killermann, S. On the Extinct, Mascarine Birds. (Naturwiss. Wochenschrift, XIV, pp. 353–360.) — The Dodo. (In German.)

Coburn Charles A. A Study of the Behavior of the Crow, *Corvus americanus* Aud., by the Multiple Choice Method. (Jour. Anim. Behavior, V, pp. 75–114.) — cf. also do., IV, pp. 185–201.

Wilkinson, O. J. The Great Crested Grebe. (Wild Life, VII, No. 4, October, 1915.) — Beautiful photographs.

Selous, E. The Little Grebe. (Wild Life, VII, Nos. 2–4.) — Well illustrated.

Thayer, G. H. The End of Cory's Shearwater. (Science, September 3, 1915.) — Regards it as a synonym of *Puffinus kuhli*.

Stone, W. The End is Not Yet! (Science, October 15, 1915.) — Shows that Cory's Shearwater (*Puffinus borealis*) is not a synonym of *P. kuhli* and that whether or not it be identical with the Azores bird, *P. borealis* is the oldest name for any north Atlantic member of the group.

Ridgway, R. A New Pigeon from Jamaica. (Proc. Biol. Soc. Wash., XXVIII, p. 177, November 29, 1915.) — *Chlorænas inornata exigua*.

Publications Received. — **Barrows, H. R.** The Histological Basis of the Different Shank Colors in the Domestic Fowl. (Ann. Rept. Maine Agr. Exper. Sta. for 1914, pp. 237–252.)

¹ Some of these journals are received in exchange, others are examined in the library of the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia. The Editor is under obligations to Mr. J. A. G. Rehn for a list of ornithological articles contained in the accessions to the library from week to week.